

## *Calling ALL 3<sup>rd</sup> Graders!*

*It's your turn to get "FIRED UP" for this year's 2014*

### *Fire and Life Safety School Year Calendar!*

The Department of Safety, Office of the State Fire Marshal and the New Hampshire Fire Prevention Society believe that Fire Prevention and Life Safety should be a part of daily life throughout the year in every New Hampshire household. Every year during the month of March, 3<sup>rd</sup> grade students will be challenged to design a poster representing an important fire prevention & life safety message. This annual poster contest is open to **ALL** third grade students within the state of New Hampshire.

Students will need to:

- **Research** chosen topic from list to ensure message and picture are accurate.
- Use **white** paper not exceeding 11x17.
- Hold paper in **landscape** orientation.
- Fill out the contact information (found online) and attach to the **back**.
- Submit no later than **March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2014**

Posters may be dropped off to the Office of the State Fire Marshal or to one of the designated drop-off fire departments in the state which can be found on the website. We look forward to your creative assistance in seeing that the citizens in the state of New Hampshire are fire and life safe!

Any questions? Contact the Office of the State Fire Marshal 603-223-4289

#### **2014~2015 School Year Calendar Theme Topics:**

**Jan:** Home Fire Sprinkler Protection

**Feb:** Burn Awareness

**Mar:** Kitchen & Cooking Safety

**Apr:** Spring Cleaning: Yard, House and Garage

**May:** Electrical Safety

**Jun:** Home Escape Planning

**July:** Fireworks Safety

**Aug:** Stop, Drop, Roll

**Sept:** Firefighters as Heroes

**Oct:** Change your Batteries in Detectors

**Nov:** Generator Safety

**Dec:** Safe Use of Candles and Holiday Safety

## **Designated Drop-off Offices:**

**Department of Safety: Office of the State Fire Marshal** - 33 Hazen Drive, Concord, NH 03305 tel. 603-223-4289

**Nashua Fire Rescue:** Syndi Bautista, 177 Lake St., Nashua, NH 03060 tel. 603-589-3464

**Keene Fire:** Capt. Gary Lafreniere, 31 Vernon St., Keene, NH 03431 tel. 603-357-9861

**Portsmouth Fire:** Inspector Patrick Howe, 170 Court St., Portsmouth, NH 03801 tel. 603-427-1515

**Lebanon Fire:** Jonathan Paul, 12 So. Park St., Lebanon, NH 03766 tel. 603-448-8810

**Plymouth Fire:** Chief Casino Clogston, 42 Highland St., Plymouth, NH 03264 tel. 603-536-1253

**Littleton Fire:** Chief Joseph Mercieri, 230 West Main St., Littleton, NH 03561 tel. 603-444-2137

**Berlin Fire:** Asst. Chief Thaddeus Soltys, 263 Main St., Berlin, NH 03570 tel. 603-752-3135

**The information below must be on the back of each poster submitted.**

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Topic/Month: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of School: \_\_\_\_\_

School Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Town/City of School: \_\_\_\_\_

BEST WAY TO NOTIFY TEACHER IF POSTER IS SELECTED FOR CALENDAR:

\_\_\_Phone or \_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Hint Teachers: Complete this form, minus the top two lines, then make copies and have students fill in their own name and topic.**